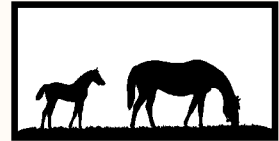


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Dr. Ommert Recognized for Foundation Service



Willard D. Ommert, D.V.M., with Mrs. Jeanne L. Canty (above) and Greg Ferraro, D.V.M. (below)



The California Thoroughbred Foundation board of trustees honored Willard D. Ommert, D.V.M., at its March meeting. Dr. Ommert has retired from the board after serving for 18 years.

Above and beyond his general duties as a trustee, Will Ommert annually traveled to U. C. Davis to interview applicants for the Foundation's two undergraduate scholarships for veterinary medicine students who have a particular interest in horses, especially Thoroughbreds. He then shared his experience with other trustees and made recommendations for the selections.

At the March meeting, Greg Ferraro, D.V.M., a Foundation trustee and director of the U.C. Davis Center for Equine Health, presented a certificate of recognition from that university to Dr. Ommert. Mrs. Jeanne L. Canty, president of the Foundation, gave him a bronze of a horse in appreciation of his 18 years of service with the group.

The California Thoroughbred Foundation

The California Thoroughbred Foundation (CTF) is dedicated to the advancement of equine research and education. Since 1958, the Foundation has operated as a non-profit corporation closely allied with the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association (CTBA). During the past four decades, the CTF has sponsored numerous research and educational projects and awarded scholarships to veterinary students at U.C. Davis.

The Foundation maintains the Carleton F. Burke Memorial Library, one of the most extensive collections of equine literature found anywhere. Several generous donations of book collections and artwork form the core of the library, which is housed in the CTBA offices in Arcadia. Among its 10,000 volumes are current veterinary publications, turf histories, tax and legal manuals, sales catalogs, and books spanning a wide range of subjects from equine nutrition and care to fine arts. The latest instructional videos also are available for viewing in the library.

The resources of the CTF's Carleton F. Burke Memorial Library are available to the public for research and pleasure.

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The CTF accepts donations in memory of relatives and friends, with all such donations allocated to Scholarship Funds of the Foundation and to the Carleton F. Burke Memorial Library. Please remember members of our industry with a donation to the CTF Memorial Fund. Donations may be sent to: CTF, P. O. Box 60018, Arcadia, CA 91066-6018.

The CTF joins in honoring the memory of those whose names appear in bold type. We also thank and acknowledge the donors for their generous contributions.

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